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No. 5 MONUMENT SQUARE

Resolutions of Respect, Obituaries  
and Cards of Thanks, six cents per  
line.**RUSSELL GIVEN  
FINE PROMOTION**Now City Editor Of Spring-  
field Sun**"BABY" OF THE STAFF**Young Man, Who Gained Newspaper  
Experience On The Banner,  
Comes In For Merited Rec-  
ognition, Starting  
MondayHoy L. Russell, who was formerly  
employed on the reportorial staff of  
The Banner, has been made city edit-  
or of the Springfield, O., Sun, with  
which paper he has been associated  
for about six months.Mr. Russell assumed his new duties  
Monday morning. The Sun is a morn-  
ing paper. The promotion is a de-  
served one, as Mr. Russell possesses  
exceptional ability in news-gathering  
and news-writing. His first experi-  
ence was gained on The Banner with  
which paper he associated himself a  
little over a year ago.A flattering feature in connection  
with Mr. Russell's promotion is the  
fact that he is the youngest member  
of the staff of The Sun. His many  
Mt. Vernon friends join in wishing  
him a greater success in his larger  
field of newspaper endeavor.**THE ELEY FUNERAL**HELD MONDAY MORNING AT UN-  
ION GROVE CHURCHThe funeral of the late Mrs. Martha  
Jane Eley, who died in Harrison town-  
ship Saturday morning at 12:30  
o'clock, was held Monday morning at  
10:30 o'clock at Union Grove church,  
the Rev. L. G. Walker of Centerburg  
officiating. Burial was made in the  
Union Grove cemetery. The deceased  
had been ill about a year of Bright's  
disease. She was born in Jackson  
township and spent her whole life in  
this county. She was in her seventy-  
eighth year and leaves her husband  
and the following children: Dr. T. L.  
Eley of Hopewell, Mrs. Bert Young of  
Harrison township, and W. R. Eley  
of Washington, D. C.Russell Thraillkill of Denison uni-  
versity, Granville, is spending about  
a week in this city with relatives.Mrs. W. B. Ralston of Braddock  
street went to Columbus Saturday to  
spend the day.**O. C. CHASE IS  
CALLED AFTER  
SHORT ILLNESS**Civil War Veteran Answers  
Final Taps Sunday  
Evening**DEATH SPEEDED BY  
DEMISE OF BROTHER**Abandoned Plans To Attend  
This Funeral Only  
Saturday EveningA telegram received Friday even-  
ing, announcing the death in Cairo,  
Mich., of his brother, Dr. S. F. Chase,  
probably hastened the demise of Obadiah C. Chase, one of the very sub-  
stantial citizens of Mt. Vernon, who  
passed away at his home on the Sy-  
char road Sunday evening at 11:45  
o'clock.Mr. Chase had planned to go to his  
brother's funeral and it was only late  
Saturday that he decided his state of  
health was not such as to permit a  
journey of such a distance. On Sun-  
day afternoon, he wired that he would  
not attend.Although Mr. Chase had been feel-  
ing badly for some time, his condition  
was not regarded as at all serious.  
His wife was awakened Sunday even-  
ing by a sound from her husband  
which resembled a slight catching of  
the breath. Before a physician could  
arrive, Mr. Chase had passed away.  
Neuralgia of the heart was pronoun-  
ced the cause of demise by the attend-  
ing physician. Mr. Chase had been  
ill only two days.The deceased was born in Morrow  
county on his father's farm, near  
Sparta, on July 14, 1846. He was, ac-  
cordingly, in his 71st year. He spent  
his boyhood and young manhood in  
Morrow county and, in 1870, was  
united in marriage to Miss Jerusha  
Holt at the B. W. Chase homestead,  
Sparta.He successfully engaged in the tin-  
ning and roofing business in this city  
for a number of years and was active  
in this at the time of his death. Of  
a somewhat retiring disposition, he  
was admired by all with whom he  
came in contact. He was a Democrat  
politically and at one time was a can-  
didate for mayor of Mt. Vernon. Fra-  
ternally, Mr. Chase was a member of  
Mt. Zion Lodge, No. 9, F. & A. M.,  
of this city.In addition to his wife Mr. Chase  
is survived by the following children:  
Mrs. Rollin S. Clements, Mrs. William  
C. Appleton, Miss Maria Chase, Har-  
ry F. Chase, Dana Chase and Daniel  
Chase, all of this city, Mrs. Fred San-  
derson of Pittsburgh, Pa., and S. F.  
Chase of Metropolis, Ill. One brother,  
A. O. Chase, who resides in Michi-  
gan, also survives. This latter is the  
youngest and last member of the fam-  
ily. The late Dr. S. F. Chase, al-  
though a native of Morrow county,  
was never a resident of Knox, but  
has visited in Mt. Vernon.

Obadiah C. Chase served in the

civil war as a member of Co. G, 136th  
Ohio, and later affiliated himself with  
Joe Hooker Post No. 21, Grand Army  
of the Republic, of this city, of which  
he was a past commander.**PRESIDENT'S ORDER**DIRECTING THAT ALL POSTMAS-  
TERS BE PLACED UNDER THE  
CIVIL SERVICE LAW.The following is the text of Presi-  
dent Wilson's order placing all post-  
masters under the civil service law,  
a copy of which was received at the  
Mt. Vernon postoffice Monday:  
**EXECUTIVE ORDER**Hereafter when a vacancy occurs in  
the position of postmaster of any of-  
fice of the first, second, or third class  
as a result of death, resignation, re-  
moval, or, on the recommendation of  
the First Assistant Postmaster Gen-  
eral, approved by the Postmaster  
General, to the effect that the effi-  
ciency or needs of the service requires  
that a change shall be made, the  
Postmaster General shall certify the  
fact to the Civil Service commission,  
which shall forthwith hold an open  
competitive examination to test the  
fitness of applicants to fill such vac-  
ancy, and when such examination  
has been held and the papers in con-  
nection therewith have been rated,  
the said commission shall certify the  
result thereof to the Postmaster Gen-  
eral, who shall submit to the Presi-  
dent the name of the highest qualified  
eligible for appointment to fill such  
vacancy, unless it is established that  
the character or residence of such ap-  
plicant disqualifies him for appoint-  
ment. No person who has passed his  
sixty-fifth birthday shall be given ex-  
amination herein provided for.  
WOODROW WILSON.  
Dated March 31, 1917.**SOCIETY NOTES****Fraternity  
To Dance**Allen Sapp, Fletcher Devin and  
Dwight McNabb will furnish the mu-  
sic at a dance which the Beta Phi  
Sigma fraternity will give Friday  
evening of this week in the K. of P.  
armory. Refreshments will be served.  
Invitations were issued Monday.**Elks' Easter  
Monday Dance**Mt. Vernon Lodge, No. 140, B. P. O.  
Elks, will give a dance Easter Mon-  
day, April 9, which will be made an  
annual affair with the lodge. A four-  
piece Columbus orchestra will render  
music, while the old decorations from  
the annual dance will be used, with  
the addition of several new features.  
Refreshments will be served.**Ross-Wharton  
Nuptials**Mr. Charles S. Ross and Miss Della  
M. Wharton, both of Butler township,  
were quietly married at the home of  
the officiating minister, Rev. J. A.  
Long, Saturday morning at 10:30  
o'clock. Following the ceremony, Mr.  
and Mrs. Ross went to the Ross farm  
in Butler township where they will  
make their home.**Pipes-Shuman  
Wedding**Mr. Denney W. Pipes of Brinkhav-  
en and Miss Bernice C. Shuman of  
Brown township were united in the  
bonds of holy matrimony at the home  
of the officiating minister, Rev. W. E.  
Hollett, in Danville Saturday after-  
noon at 3 o'clock. The couple was  
unattended. Mr. and Mrs. Pipes will  
make their home on the Pipes farm,  
near Brinkhaven.**First Showing at Ringwalt's Tonight  
Silk Suits and Coats "De Luxe"***Garments usually found only in shops in the larger cities.*Sport Styles  
Street Styles  
Dress StylesKahki Kool  
Yo San  
Taffeta  
Italian  
CharmeuseCrepe de Chine  
Satin  
Chiffon Taffeta  
Shantung  
Gros de Londre

Purple; Gold; Rose; Copen; Taupe; Green; Electric Blue; Navy; Wisteria; Kahki Kool Fancies; Black.

\$60.00, \$50.00, \$45.00, \$39.50, \$32.50, \$27.50, \$25.00

**Importance of Prompt  
Choice is Emphasized**During the past month we have  
had repeated instances of customers  
who, though they liked garments, de-  
layed selection for a day or so; and  
when they returned for them, found  
them sold. This is disappointing to  
them and to us.**Choose Now!****As usual, women are enthusiastic  
about our \$25.00 Suits.**The plain fact is that we go out of our way to give remark-  
able values at this price.Serges, Poplins, Wool Jerseys, Checks, Velours  
Large collars, gathered backs, newest pockets, chain  
stitchings—in fact all the newest fashion wrinkles.  
Colors, navy, gold, apple, mustard, grey, copen, checks  
and black.**\$25.00****The J. S. Ringwalt Co.****CANADA OFFERS  
160 ACRES LAND FREE  
TO FARM HANDS****Bonus of Western Canada  
Land to Men Who Assist  
in Maintaining Needed  
Grain Production**The demand for farm labor in Canada  
is so great that as an inducement to  
secure at once the necessary help, re-  
quired, Canada will give one hundred  
and sixty acres of land free as a home-  
stead and allow the farm laborer, who  
files on land, to apply the time he is  
working for other farmers as residence  
duties the same as if he had lived on  
the land he had applied for. This of-  
fer made only to men working on  
Canadian farms for at least 6 months  
during 1917, thus reducing the neces-  
sity of actual residence to 2 years in-  
stead of 3 years, as under usual condi-  
tions. This appeal for farm help is in  
no way connected with enlistment for  
military service but solely to secure  
farm laborers to increase agricultural  
output. A wonderful opportunity to  
earn good wages while securing a  
farm. Canadian Government will pay  
all fare over one cent per mile from St.  
Paul and Duluth to Canadian destina-  
tion. Information as to low railway  
rates, etc., may be had on application  
toW. S. NETHERY  
Canadian Government Agent  
Interurban Building, Columbus, Ohio.**Kaiser-Lybarger  
Wedding**Rev. J. A. Long performed the cer-  
emony Saturday evening at 8 o'clock  
at his home that bound Mr. Elroy J.  
Kaiser and Miss Laura V. Lybarger  
in the bonds of holy matrimony. The  
ring service was used. The couple was  
attended by Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lybarger,  
Mr. Lybarger being the brother  
of the bride. Mr. Kaiser is employed  
at the Pittsburgh Plate Glass works  
and he and his bride will make their  
home on the Columbus road in South  
Vernon.**DANVILLE FARMER  
IN A RUNAWAY;  
HORSE IS KILLED**Danville, April 2—John Melton is  
recovering from injuries he sustained  
Friday afternoon in a runaway in  
which his horse was killed.**KELLEHER RESIGNS AS  
COACH AT KENYON**Will Take Up Engineering Work In  
The FutureGambier, April 2—Coach Kelleher  
has tendered his resignation to Ken-  
yon college and will, in the future,  
engage in engineering work in which  
he prepared himself at Notre Dame.  
Mr. Kelleher has been at Kenyon for  
two years and has succeeded in turn-  
ing out good athletic teams.Mrs. Ella Fredericks returned to  
her home in Columbus Saturday after  
a brief visit with relatives here.**THE RECORD PRICE IS HERE  
AT LAST**

Our Price for week ending April 7th

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**THE LICKING CREAMERY CO.**MT. VERNON CREAMERY  
FREDERICKTOWN CREAMERYBELLVILLE CREAMERY  
LEXINGTON CREAMERY**EMPLOYMENT HEADS  
IN CONFERENCE**Philadelphia, Pa., April 2—The first  
annual joint meeting of the National  
Vocational Guidance Association and  
the National Conference of Employ-  
ment managers assemble in Phila-  
delphia today and will continue in ses-  
sion through the greater part of the  
week.Meyer Bloomfield of Boston, who is  
president of both associations, opened  
the sessions this morning at the Uni-  
versity of Pennsylvania.In the effort to have the program  
practical most of the speakers at the  
conference will be men and women  
who are directly connected with the  
business of employment. Among them  
will be John M. Williams, secretary  
of the Philadelphia Association for  
the Discussion of Employment Prob-  
lems; Boyd Fisher, of the Detroit Ex-  
ecutives Club; Ernest T. Trigg, pres-  
ident of the Philadelphia Chamber of  
Commerce; Walter Dill Scott, of the  
Carnegie Institute of Technology;  
Magnus W. Alexander, of the General  
Electric Company, Lynn, Mass., and  
others connected with leading indus-  
tries of the country.A novel feature of the convention  
will be the organization of a national  
women's employment managers' con-  
ference. A number of women who  
have been active in this new field have  
been invited to serve as an organiza-  
tion committee.**MINERS CELEBRATE  
EIGHT-HOUR DAY**Hazleton, Pa., April 2—The 175,000  
miners in the anthracite region kept  
a holiday today in observance of the  
first anniversary of the granting of  
the eight-hour day, which they won in  
their agreement with the operators a  
years ago. Only the firemen, engi-  
neers, pump runners and others whose  
presence was necessary to prevent  
flooding of the collieries remained on  
duty. Mass meetings were held every-  
where to impress on the men the sig-  
nificance of the victory they gained  
by the shortening of their hours. Ac-  
cording to the operations, the eight-  
hour day has not curtailed the output.Baltimore, Md., April 2—Turfit  
from many parts of the country gath-  
ered today at Prince Georges Park,  
near Bowie, for the opening of theSpring meeting under the auspices of  
the Southern Maryland Agricultural  
Association, which marks the inaugu-  
ration of the 1917 campaign among the  
thoroughbreds in the East. All signs  
point to a successful meeting. The  
stables of Harry Payne Whitney, Clar-  
ence H. Mackay, Edward B. McLean  
and numerous other prominent breed-  
ers are represented among the fast  
horses now quartered at the Bowie  
course.William B. Humbert of Millwood ar-  
rived here Saturday for a short visit  
with relatives.**Wanted, For Sale, &c**FOR SALE—100-acre farm, two  
miles east on the old Gambier road.  
Cheap if sold soon. Citizens' 654  
black. 2SFOR SALE—Heavy draft mare with  
foal. Citizens' 2002-L. tld&SWANTED—Married man to work  
on farm. Citizens' M-280, Frederick-  
town; Bell phone two on 41-Y, Sparta.  
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